IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA MISSOULA DIVISION

CHERYL MARIE MCDONALD,

CV 21–77–M–DWM

Plaintiff,

v.

ORDER

KILOLO KIJAKAZI, Acting Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

The parties having stipulated to an attorney fee award under the Equal Access to Justice Act ("EAJA"), (Doc. 15),

IT IS ORDERED that the Commissioner shall pay \$5,770.00 in fees, \$17.58 in expenses, and \$402.00 in costs. See 28 U.S.C. §§ 1920, 2412(d).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if, after receiving the Court's EAJA fee order, the Commissioner (1) determines upon effectuation of the Court's EAJA fee order that Plaintiff does not owe a debt that is subject to offset under the Treasury Offset Program, (2) agrees to waive the requirements of the Anti-Assignment Act, and (3) is provided a valid assignment of fees executed by Plaintiff, the fees will be made payable to Plaintiff's attorney and mailed to Plaintiffs' attorney's office as follows:

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However, if there is a debt owed under the Treasury Offset Program, the Commissioner cannot agree to waive the requirements of the Anti-Assignment Act, and a check for any remaining EAJA fees after offset will be paid by a check made out to Plaintiff, but delivered to Plaintiffs' attorney's office at the address stated above.

DATED this day of May, 2022.

Donald W. Molloy, District Judge United States District Court